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## CORRESPONDENCE

### THE ZOOLOGICAL RECORD

The Editor, *Journal of Mammalogy*:

I should be glad if you would draw the attention of your readers to the present position of the *Zoological Record*.

Owing to the collapse of the *International Catalogue of Scientific Literature*, in connection with which the *Record* was published from 1906 to 1914, the *Zoological Society of London* has undertaken to bear the whole financial responsibility for the preparation and printing of the *Record*.

Owing to the great increase of the cost of printing and to the very meagre support accorded to the *Record* by zoologists and zoological institutes generally, the financial burden of this undertaking on the *Zoological Society* is becoming very severe. The cost of printing the *Record* now amounts to between £1500 and £2000 annually and the *Society* receives back by subscribers and sales less than 25 per cent of this sum; I fear, therefore, unless zoologists are prepared to make greater efforts to support the undertaking, there is a strong possibility that the *Council of the Zoological Society* may refuse to find this large sum each year.

It appears, therefore, to be the duty of every zoologist to help so far as he is able to support this most invaluable work. All particulars and forms of subscription can be obtained from the Secretary of the Zoological Society, Regents Park, London N. W. 8., but I may mention that the price of the whole volume is now £2. 10. 0. and the price of the separate parts a proportional smaller sum.

Yours faithfully,  
*W. L. Sclater.*

London, 1 February, 1922.

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#### FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING IN NEW YORK

The Fourth Annual Meeting of the American Society of Mammalogists will convene in New York City, May 16-18, 1922. Sessions devoted to the reading of papers, discussion, and business, will be held from 10:00 A. M. to 4:30 P. M., May 16-17, in the American Museum of Natural History. There will be an evening session with motion pictures, May 17. Members of the Society will have an opportunity on May 18 to visit the new Heads and Horns Building and other places of interest in the New York Zoological Park as guests of the New York Zoological Society. The whole meeting promises to be exceptionally interesting and important. The Committee on Arrangements consists of Mr. H. E. Anthony, chairman; Mr. Herbert Lang; Dr. Robert Cushman Murphy; and the Corresponding Secretary, ex-officio. Hotel headquarters will be at the Hotel Majestic, 72nd Street and Central Park West, five blocks south of the American Museum.